



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : S. KANNO et al

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Title : PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR THE  
DECOMPOSITION OF FLUORINE COMPOUNDS

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Examiner : H.T. Tran

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

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**February 28, 2007**

Sir:

In further response to the final Office Action of October 31, 2006, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.